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Communication with the outside world, except by a steamer, which bas just stopped at this port, is cut off. and the greatest misery exists among the poor classes, the majority of whom have lost everything.

In the country districts the devastaion has also been great.

Darkness added terror to the people many of whom were convinced that he end of the world was at hand, and hey crowded the old Mission church. there are few Americans in La Paz nd none of them have been injured, ithough they will suffer considerably n loss of property and goods.

Engineer Forgot Orders.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 13.-The blunder of a Burlington engineer in forgetting els orders was responsible for a head-on collision and two fatalities at noon Sunday in a wreck three miles west of Lincoln, Passenger Train No. extra stock train, eastbound. Six passengers were also injured, none fatally. The impact of the heavy stock train fully 200 feet. Both engines were demolished, and the baggage car telepassengers.

Murdered His Sweetheart.

old sweetheart, Pearl Rought, on a the best construction." street in this city. Morgan was capdrinking carbolic acid.

Drank Roach Powder.

Pottsville, Pa., Sept. 13.-Scraping oach powder from walls of her cell till she had half a cupful, Jennie Kane, 16 years old, who was given a fouryear sentence for theft, moistened the poison with drinking water and swallowed it. Fifteen minutes later she

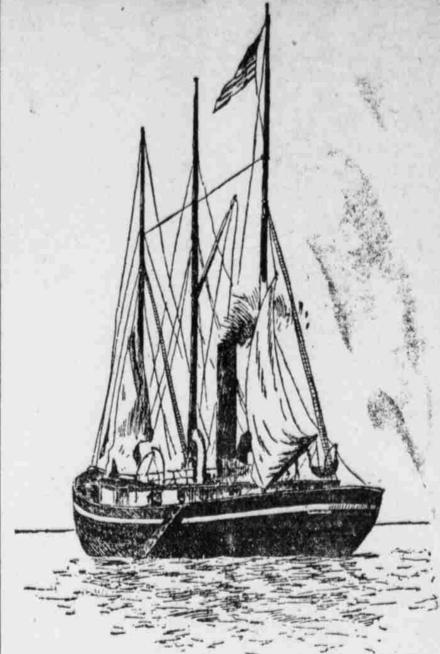
MARKET REPORTS.

Cincinnati, Sept. 11.—Cattle—Extra preliminary work can not be completed \$6.25@6.35. Calves-Extra, \$8.75@9 in an entirely new light. Hogs-Choice, \$8.40@8.50, Sheet-Ex tra, \$4.25@4.35. Lambs-Extra, \$7.40@ Danville, Ind.-It is given out here 7.50. Flour-Spring patent, \$6.406 6.65. on good authority that the seven-mile Wheat-No. 2 red, \$1.12@1.14. Corn his journey to the pole. One of the link of the Indianapolis and Danville -No. 2 mixed, 72c. Oats-No. 2 leading British medical journals points traction line, running to Amo from mixed, 39c. Rye-No. 2 choice, Danville, Terre Haute, Indianapolis 72@73c. Hay-Choice timothy, \$14@ microscopical examination of water to put in operation within the next few doz., 23c. Apples-Choice, \$1.50@3.50. Potatoes-Per brl, \$1.50@1.75. Tobacco-Burley, \$10.25@19.25.

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The Roosevelt, in Which Lieut. Peary Sailed Twice in Search of the North

WHOLE WORLD IS ANXIOUSLY AWAITING FOR COOK AND PEARY PROOFS.

HOME MEN COMING

Report Received at Sydney Tells of Hardships Encountered by the Commander's Party-Peary's Own Story Turns Feeling to Cook.

The two explorers upon whom the world's eye has been fixed during the past few days spent yesterday busily preparing for their advance to the United States.

Cook, in Copenhagen, announced that he had definitely arranged to sail next Saturday on the Oscar II. for New York city. Peary, according to fragmentary wireless reports, was still delayed at Battle Harbor, Labrador-probably either awaiting the completing of repairs to the Roosevelt or the arrival of coal.

Feeling Turns Toward Cook.

The immediate effect of the publication of Peary's brief account of his journey throughout the world is a certain revulsion of feeling in favor of Dr. Cook and the adoption of a more judicial and impartial attitude towards shoved the passenger train backward both explorers. The London Daily Telegraph in an editorial says: "Dr. Cook has decided to face the music, scoped the smoker, which contained 40 and in so doing has greatly redeemed his position in English eyes, and in a large measure has made comment at the present stage both unfair and un-Scranton, Pa., Sept. 13 .- Mistaking wise. So long as the matter between her cousin for a rival, of whom he was himself and his greater rival is subjealous, Jesse Morgan, of Pittston, shot judice it is but common justice to conand almost instantly killed his 15-year- cede to both claimants the courtesy of

The London Post regrets the tone tured, but before being searched at the adopted by the extreme partisans, and police station he killed himself by says that even Commander Peary's telegrams savor of the injudicious.

Both May Be Mistaken. "Both explorers may, for all we

know," says the paper, "be mistaken and until proof is forthcoming must both be considered to stand on an equality so far as the race for the pole is concerned."

One of the chief reasons for the revulsion in Dr. Cook's favor is the unexpected swiftness of Peary's sledge journey to and from the pole. This is regarded as having disposed of one of the strongest arguments against the probability of Cook's feat, and has placed the possibilities of arctic travel

Comment is made on the fact that Dr. Cook does not mention meeting with open water, which would retard out that, according to the usual ideas, detect the presence of algae in the sea, such as Dr. Cook records having done, would be practically impossible. because the water would freeze under

examination. Records Will Show.

The general opinion is that little of a convincing character will be obtained by an examination of the Eskimos, and the evidence of real value will be secured only by an expert comparison of the two men's records of

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ures only a few degrees, and taking into consideration the phenomenally rapid rate at which they traveled, both Cook and Peary may have miscalcuinted their positions, and adds: "It must be assumed that Peary guarded against such errors, but an expert examination of his records will be awaited with the greatest interest." Underwent Many Hardships.

Private messages from Battle Harbor say that the polar party under went a number of severe experiences in the far northern journey. On one occasion a party of five men were caught in a turious blizzard and were missing for several days. For a time it was supposed they had perished. Another time one member of the expedition lost his life.

Up to a late hour the Roosevelt was in port at Battle Harbor coaling. It is thought she will continue her voyage southward this morning. She is not expected there before Sunday.

Many messages from the United States and Canadian points addressed to Commander Peary have been re-

Gaak Receives Degree.

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Open Hostilities Suspended.

In scientific circles, both in America and abroad, the prevailing inclination seems to be to await direct word from both explorers before arriving at a conclusion as to their respective achievements, and although a belligerent attitude was still preserved in the two camps, open hostilities were largely suspended.

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Postmen Are Not Required to Deliver Letters Where Vicious Canines Are Kept.

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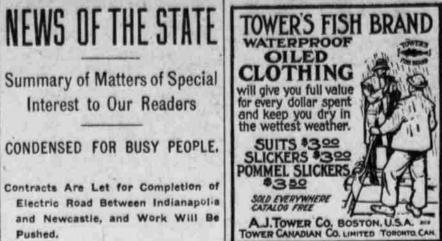
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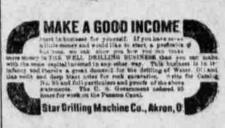
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